

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 7 and 10-14.

A complete listing of all claims in this application is set forth below.

1. (previously amended) A cosmetic comprising:
at least one isoflavone aglycone in a biologically active form as active component, said at least one isoflavone aglycone being incorporated into liposomes; and
at least one algal extract including an extract of algae of the genus *Spirulina*.
2. (previously amended) The cosmetic of claim 1, wherein said at least one isoflavone aglycone is selected from the group consisting of genistein and daidzein.
3. (canceled)
4. (canceled)
5. (original) The cosmetic of claim 1, wherein the concentration of said isoflavone aglycone is from 1 to 500 mg per kg of the cosmetic.
6. (previously amended) The cosmetic of claim 5, wherein the concentration of said isoflavone aglycone is from 20 to 100 mg per kg of the cosmetic.

7. (canceled)

8. (previously added) The cosmetic of claim 1, wherein said liposomes have a diameter of less than 140 nm.

9. (previously added) The cosmetic of claim 8, wherein said liposomes have a diameter of between 100nm and 140 nm.

10. (canceled)

11. (canceled)

12. (canceled)

13. (canceled)

14. (canceled)